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The reply filed on 11/09/2007 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicants are to elect a single species and not a genus. Applicants have stated: "The Applicant was also required to elect a species. In response the Applicants elect peptides as the species. As the water-soluble polymer the Applicant elects the water-soluble polymer depicted in claim 65." The election is to a genus peptide. Applicants should elect a specific embodiment disclosed in the specification that clearly and singly defines each variable, such as X, n1, R, R1, etc... The election of peptide is not sufficient to satisfy the election requirement. An election of PEPTIDE-GRFN 1852-PLP3 -Leu, for example, would be an election of a species. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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